TENDER NOTICE

CENTRAL TENDERS BOARD

Tender for the Richplain Ravine Improvement Works – Phase II for the Drainage Division, Ministry of Works and Transport

Tenders are invited from suitably qualified and experienced contractors for the Richplain Ravine Improvement Works Phase II for the Drainage Division, Ministry of Works and Transport.

Tender documents may be collected during normal working hours at the Central Tenders Board - 116 Frederick Street, Port of Spain. Any further information may be obtained from **Mr Ramesh Budhiraja**, **Project Manager at 627-5161 or Ms Candice Gray**, **Drainage Engineer at 625-6394** during normal working hours at the Drainage Division.

Interested contractors are required to pay a tender deposit of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00 TT) payable by cash or certified cheque to the Director of Contracts and attach the original receipt to their tender. This tender deposit will be received from Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 12.00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

A pre tender meeting will held at **10:00 a.m. on 9th April, 2008** in the Conference Room of the Drainage Division, 41-43 Sackville Street, Port of Spain and this will be followed by the site visit.

Tenders must be accompanied by the following:-

- (a) Valid Income Tax and Value Added Tax Clearance Certificates issued by the Board of Inland Revenue dated not more than six (6) months prior to the closing date of the tender:
- (b) Up-to-date certificate of Compliance issued in accordance with the National Insurance Act.

Tenderers are required to submit their tender using two the (2) envelope system.

One (1) original and two (2) copies each of the technical and financial submission will be received up to **1:00 p.m. on Thursday 17th April, 2008.** The envelopes must be addressed to the Chairman, Central Tenders Board and clearly marked on the outside:-

Envelope No 1 - Technical Submission for Richplain Ravine Improvements Works - Phase II for the Ministry of Works and Transport.

Envelope No 2 - Financial Submission for Richplain Ravine Improvement Works- Phase II for the Ministry of Works and Transport.

and deposited in the Brown Tenders Box located in the lobby of the Board's Office at 116 Frederick Street, Port of Spain.

Tenderers are asked to note that the dimensions of the **slot** of the Tenders Box are **37.5 cm x 5.5 cm**. Tenders should therefore be packaged accordingly.

Envelope No I (Technical Submission) will be opened shortly thereafter. Envelope No 2 (Financial Submission) of qualified tenderers only will be opened and evaluated after the Technical Evaluation. The tenderer or his representative may be present at the opening.

Late tenders will not be considered under any circumstances.

The Board does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any other tender.

The Central Tenders Board reserves the right to cancel the present Notice in its entirety or even partially, without defraying any cost incurred by any contract in submitting his tender.

Prospective tenderers are advised that they can visit the following website address: http://finance.gov.tt/tenders for all published Tender Notices.

J. Jones Chairman Central Tenders Board